

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Stacey Ann Jones et al.

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Examiner: Shelley Graham

For: *Method of using Farnesoid X Receptor (FXR) Agonists*

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION:
SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT: AND
REQUEST FOR A 1-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO CFR 1.17

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed March 31, 2008 for which a 1 month period to respond was set. Applicants hereby request a 1 month extension of time to extend the period for response up to and including May 31, 2008. Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-1392 in the amount of \$120.00. Early examination of the application on the merits is earnestly solicited.

Amendments to the claims begin on page **2** of this paper.

There are no amendments to the specification.

Remarks begin on page **3** of this paper.